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In re Patent Application of:  
Werner KNEBEL

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For: SCANNING MICROSCOPE HAVING A  
MIRROR FOR COUPLING-IN A  
MANIPULATING LIGHT BEAM

Examiner: Lee A. Fineman

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. 1.116)**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed February 6, 2007, and with the Examiner's approval, please enter the following in the above-identified application:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.